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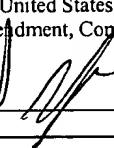
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE

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Dear Commissioner:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on April 13, 2004, please consider and enter the following amendments and remarks. Claims 1-6 and 8 remain pending in the application.

Amendments to the drawings begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin at page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 5 of this paper.

An Appendix beginning at page 8 of this paper includes one replacement sheet with Figure 1.